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YALE, St. Clair County, Mich., FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1906.

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Twenty years in general trade, ten years in clothing and furnishings. The year that is just closed has been our banner year in this business. We believe this is due to the fact that we are giving our customers the best values obtainable for their money. This has always been our motto. We will continue business on the same line with such goods as will please the trade. We still have a few ladies', misses' and children's cloaks on which we are giving bargains. We are also giving bargains in men's and boys' odd suits and many other articles. Thanking our many customers for past favors, we remain, respectfully,

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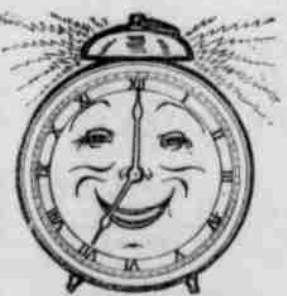
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We have a number of coats to choose from at prices that can't be beat. Call and look over our line and we know you will buy.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(These are the only official Proceedings Published.)

Yale, Mich., Jan. 9, 1906.
Council met in regular session with President Wharton in the chair.
Trustees present—Ruh, Joss, Newell, Hutton.
Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.
Moved by Newell and supported by Joss that the following bills be allowed and orders drawn for same.—Carried.

CONTINGENT.

John Hutton.....	\$ 100.88
Ike McIntyre.....	1.50
A. K. Park.....	3.50
Newell & Ponsford.....	2.25
Yale Fire Co.....	34.00
Walker & Middleton.....	4.50
A. DePeel.....	33.58
Light and Water.....	186.00
Michigan Telephone Co.....	6.55
F. P. Currier.....	8.43
The Thompson Tag Co.....	128.32
Dan Ferguson.....	3.90
Ed Water Com.....	2.00
Yale Woolen Mills.....	63
F. T. Palmer.....	13.46
Bert Bowdway.....	3.45
Jno Paxton.....	3.75
Bert McDonald.....	35.50
Yale Woolen Mills.....	22.60
Jas. Heath.....	8.00
Terry Connell.....	1.00
C. Gulliat.....	6.00
H. Knowles.....	14.00
J. Heath.....	6.40
J. Sexton.....	14.00
W. Gulliat.....	21.00
E. Welch.....	1.00
V. Gulliat.....	7.50
C. Barbere.....	6.50
W. Foster.....	1.00
Roy Bricker.....	7.50
C. Gulliat.....	9.00
J. Heath.....	4.00
Tom Gulliat.....	11.60
Jas. Heath.....	7.00
W. Gulliat.....	18.00
B. Herron.....	9.00
C. Gulliat.....	2.00
H. Knowles.....	11.00
J. Sexton.....	9.00
J. Heath.....	4.34
Geo. Middleton.....	9.00
B. Herron.....	10.00
T. Gulliat.....	14.50
C. Gulliat.....	11.97
N. Gulliat.....	5.80
C. Barbere.....	5.10
R. Bricker.....	5.10
E. Sheffield.....	6.00
H. Knowles.....	16.00
W. Gulliat.....	25.80
Jno. Sexton.....	14.00
Fred Curry.....	2.00
Bert Bowdway.....	3.75
Fred Curry.....	3.40
C. Barbere.....	7.50
F. Sommers.....	1.00
E. Sheffield.....	5.60
J. Heath.....	8.00
H. Knowles.....	7.50
S. Gulliat.....	15.00
C. Gulliat.....	7.50
J. Heath.....	6.00
J. Whitworth.....	10.00
F. Sommers.....	6.00
D. McKenzie.....	3.60
Wm. Bollo.....	48.20
E. Sheffield.....	2.00
T. Connell.....	4.00
M. Toft.....	1.50
A. Schlegelmich.....	4.00
H. Knowles.....	4.00
A. Sommers.....	5.00
W. Gulliat.....	13.50
J. Sexton.....	4.00
W. Gulliat.....	1.20
Dan Ferguson.....	37.25

HIGHWAY.

Dan Ferguson.....	2.50
Wharton & Co.....	16.81
Jno Hutton.....	2.72
Dan McMartin.....	31.90
J. A. Menzies.....	2.00
F. B. Newell.....	1.00
Dan Ferguson.....	14.60

LIGHT AND WATER.

Standard Oil Co.....	16.48
T. Wharton.....	4.12
Crandall Pack Co.....	11.59
Ed Scott.....	3.85
Wharton & Co.....	77.95
Yale Expositor.....	2.00
A. Schlegelmich.....	170.16
Consolidated Coal Co.....	501.89
Post, Jue, L. Co.....	48.75

The President appointed W. F. Ruh, F. Newell and John Hutton as a committee to prepare plans for a hose drying tower and report to council.

A communication, dated Dec. 18, from Elmer G. Smith, of Elsie, Mich., was read, it being a claim for personal injuries, alleged to have been sustained by Geo. Braddock on a defective Mary street walk about November 1st.

Council adjourned.
F. T. Palmer, Clerk.

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PERSONAL.

Movements and Doings of People That You May Happen to Know.

Ray Knapp was at Port Huron Monday.

Fr. P. J. Cullinan was in Brown City Monday night.

Vina Goheen, of Detroit, is visiting her parents in Yale.

Wm. H. Fletcher has been loading hay at Wadhams this week.

J. A. Rapley was in Melvin on Friday of last week trying a case.

Jas. Livingston, of Raden, Ont., has been here this week on business.

J. Percy Cole, of Clinton, Ont., visited Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Cole the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lal Minnie, of Sarnia, were guests of Mrs. Eva Black over Sunday.

E. H. Drake, wife and daughter Jean visited relatives in Detroit the first of the week.

Mrs. R. H. Menerey is visiting with her brother D. R. Brown at Deckerville this week.

Mrs. Clarence Dockstater, of Sarnia, visited her mother, Mrs. M. J. Irving last week.

Albert Harry and wife, from near Crosswell visited relatives and friends in Yale Tuesday.

Claud Stanlake and wife, of Port Huron, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Muir over Sunday.

Thos. U. Wharton, Deputy Sheriff Windsor and J. A. Menzies were in Port Huron Monday.

Deputy sheriff Steve Windsor was in Port Huron Thursday on business connected with his office.

Mrs. Donald Chisholm and daughter Leah, of Laurel, are visiting at the home of Chas. S. Brown.

J. E. Beavis has been in Saginaw this week attending a meeting of the state business men's association.

Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Lewis, of Marquette, visited with their nephew P. H. Harris the past week.

Hugh Ferguson, who has gone to Big Rapids where he will take a business course in the Ferris Institute.

Cam Baxter returned Monday morning to his studies at Ann Arbor. Cam is taking a course in engineering at the college.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greene and daughter Marjorie of Hamilton, Ont., were the guests of Mrs. Helen Reid the latter part of last week.

A. E. Sleeper, of Bad Axe, and L. Avery, of Port Huron, were in Yale Tuesday attending the annual meeting of the First National Bank.

M. Ostrander and family, of Tilsonburg, Ont., who visited at J. E. Nims the past week left Monday for Lapeer, Big Rapids and other points west.

Elizabeth Ostrander is taking a vacation from her duties as clerk in Beavis & Hutchinson's store and visiting friends in different parts of the state.

Capt. Ferris, of the Life Saving Station at Harbor Beach, was a guest of J. B. Paisley Friday last. Mr. Paisley was at one time in the service with Mr. Ferris.

Mrs. S. G. Bettis and daughter Gertrude are back from their year's trip with Rev. Sam and spent last week the guests of Mrs. Bettis' daughter Mrs. Regan in Melvin.

AN APOLOGY TO THE EXPOSITOR.

We feel that we owe to the Expositor an apology and are anxious to give to that valuable paper its just due. Some weeks ago we questioned whether or not newspaper advertising was of any benefit and after carefully watching for results we are convinced that we did our local paper an injustice for ever thinking that we were not getting several times over our money's worth. We have been convinced that your paper reaches a great majority of the people who do their trading in Yale, and that they read advertisements. This proof has been furnished us by the many calls we have had during the past few days for the all wool waists we have been advertising at reduced prices, also the hip length Fay stockings that appeared in last week's adv. Please accept the above apology and consider us as yours truly.

NEWELL & PONSFORD.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers were chosen at the annual election at the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School held December 31st:
Supt.—C. E. Kellogg.
Ass't Supt.—F. B. Newell.
Sec.—Al Sponenburgh.
Treas.—Mrs. F. B. Newell.
Organist—Rhea Hisey.
Chorister—F. B. Newell.
Ass't Chorister—Mrs. G. W. Allen.

LIFE'S BATTLE IS NOW OVER.

James Irvine Fraser, the father of A. R. Fraser, of this city, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Darcy, of Los Angeles, last evening, at about 8:45 o'clock, after a brief illness. The deceased was born in Dumfries, Scotland, in 1820, and was, therefore, in the eighty-fifth year of his age. He was born on Allendale road, not far from the tomb of "Bobby" Burns, and one of the old gentleman's chief delights used to be to visit the last resting place of the great Scotch poet.

Mr. James Irvine Fraser came to the United States forty years ago. On leaving Scotland he went to New Brunswick and Canada, a little later locating in Michigan, where he continued to live until eleven years ago, when he came to California and took up his residence in Los Angeles, making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Darcy.

On last Friday the old gentleman visited his son, A. R. Fraser, and was in the very best of health. He spent a delightful day with the family, returning to Los Angeles, in the evening. On reaching home he was in good spirits and did not complain of feeling ill, but at 2 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Darcy was awakened by groans coming from the old gentleman's room. He had suffered a stroke of paralysis. The family felt certain that he could not recover, as this was the third attack. He was a powerful man and had been a great athlete in his younger days. His strong physical condition had enabled him to overcome the first two attacks, but his advanced years made him an easy prey to the third. He continued to fail from the moment the attack came on Friday night, or rather Saturday morning, until death released him last night. His end was peaceful and calm.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Darcy, and interment will be in Rosedale cemetery, where A. R. Fraser has a family lot.

The deceased is survived by one son, A. R. Fraser, and five daughters, Mrs. E. R. Grandy, of Sault Ste Marie; Mrs. J. B. Francis, Yale; Mrs. Thos. Darcy and Mrs. Ella Mitchell of Los Angeles and Mrs. Leah Mills of Chicago.

There are six grandsons and five granddaughters who mourn grandpa's death. One of the impressive features of the service which will be held tomorrow will be the fact that the remains will be conveyed to their last resting place by six grandsons, who will serve as pallbearers.

Mr. A. R. Fraser feels very much the loss. He has been almost constantly at his father's bedside since receiving the message of his illness at an early hour on Saturday morning.

The deceased was one of the sturdiest of Scotland's sons. He was a man of very reserved characteristics, but was loved by all who knew him.—The (Ocean Park, Cal.) Evening Journal of December 13, 1905.

YALE BANK OFFICERS.

YALE STATE BANK.
At the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Yale State Bank held last Tuesday afternoon the following officers and directors were re-elected:—
President—James Livingston
Vice-Pres.—James McColl
Cashier—Wm. H. Learmont
Ass't Cashier—Guy E. Beard
Directors—Jas. Livingston, Jas. McColl, Harvey Tappan, John P. Livingston, Charles Rounds.

In conversation with W. H. Learmont, cashier, he informs us that the past year has been a banner one in the history of the bank. The volume of business has more than met his expectations.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Tuesday of this week was the annual election of officers in the First National Bank. It speaks well when the stockholders re-elect the old officers as they must be satisfied with the way affairs have been conducted. Here is the list:

President—A. E. Sleeper
Vice-Pres.—F. A. Griswold
Cashier—E. F. Fead
Ass't Cashier—D. A. McKeith
Directors—A. E. Sleeper, F. A. Griswold, E. F. Fead, W. F. Ruh, T. U. Wharton, Bart McNulty, Lincoln Avery, Wm. V. Andreae.

Another director was added to the former list in the person of Mr. Andreae.

Cashier Fead states that the bank has more money now on deposit than there has been since it was first organized.

Raw Furs Wanted.

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1-3 and 1-2 LESS.

Every girls' coat from size 3 to 16 years, is included in this sale, and we assure you that better and more stylish coats have never before been marked at such a low price.

Every garment was purchased for this winter's wearing, and as children's garments, especially coats, do not change so radically in style from season to season you can purchase a coat at this time, knowing that it will be good for several seasons, and at the same time make a saving of $\frac{1}{3}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ of the regular price.

A trip to "Meisel's" this week will be a profitable one for you....

G.C. Meisel Co.
PORT HURON MICH.

The Pre-Inventory Sale.

We are making great sacrifices in many lines to reduce stock.

FANCY SILKS.

5 pieces of \$1.00 goods59c
4 pieces of 89c goods49c
3 pieces of 35c goods23c

Silk Crepe de Chine, 23 in wide, 49c. In Black, Brown, Green and Champagne.

8 pieces 54 in. All wool suitings, (Agawam Mills) \$1.50, goods \$1.12.

6 pieces 54 in. All wool suitings, (Agawam Mills) \$1.25; goods 94c
Linen, Embroideries, Laces, Fascinators, Tams, Men's Furnishings at one-fourth off.

Special sale on Curtains, Blankets, Comfortables.
Cloaks, Suits, Waists, Skirts, + to + off regular price.

....McColl's February Fashion Sheets are here....

THE BALLENTINE DRY GOODS CO., PORT HURON, MICHIGAN.

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....For a Dull Season....

GLOVES AND MITTENS.

We have all kinds at all prices from a pair of white canvass to the warmest of fur....

Shawls and Fascinators from 25c to \$6.00.

Our Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes

are making a host of friends themselves among the youngsters. If you are desirous of combining style and neatness with good wear, this is the shoe you should consider for the little people.

We have just received a large quantity of very choice goose feathers. Its an opportunity to replenish your pillow stock.

Newell & Ponsford

GROCERIES ALWAYS THE BEST. THE STORE WHERE YOU GET SATISFACTION.

10 Per Cent Discount

During inventory on everything in our store with the exception of wire and nails

This will last about two weeks and will give you an opportunity to save you money on anything you may need in our line. We still have a few heating stoves on hand and now is the time to buy if you are in need of one as they will be sold cheap.

John Hutton